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Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a copy of an Office Action in connection with a corresponding foreign (Chinese) patent application, as well as an English translation of a text portion of this Office Action, a copy of a document cited in this Office Action, and an English translation of this cited document. Also enclosed, for the convenience of the Examiner, is a Form PTO/SB/08A and B, listing the enclosed documents.

The enclosed documents are being submitted subsequent to payment of the Issue Fee in the above-identified application, and are being submitted in order to satisfy Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Entry of the enclosed documents in the file of the above-identified application, and consideration of the enclosed documents to the extent necessary and proper, are respectfully requested.

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